IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Kirk Hogan Group No.: 1634

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ASSERTION OF ENTITLEMENT TO SMALL ENTITY STATUS UNDER 37 CFR § 1.27

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Sir or Madam:

Notice is hereby submitted by the Applicant's attorney that Applicant asserts and hereby claims small entity status for the above-captioned matter.

Respectfully submitted.

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